

# Emerald Ash Borer

## Exotic Insect Attacking Ash Trees

The Emerald Ash Borer, (*Agrilus planipennis*) native to Asia, was found attacking and killing ash trees in Michigan in 2002.

Millions of trees are dead or dying in southeast Michigan.

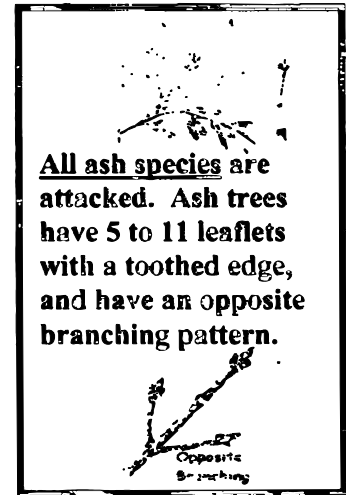


The Emerald Ash Borer has

NOT been found in Wisconsin

(4/2005).

This insect can move around in infested firewood, logs and nursery stock, thus may already be in Wisconsin.



## Help us look for this beetle!

### Have you seen 2 or more of these signs and symptoms?

✓ Dying ash trees with sprouts on the trunk or at the base of the tree.

✓ D-shaped exit holes from emerging adults present on the bark of ash trees.

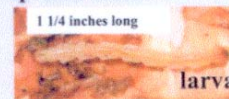
✓ Flattened, worm-like larvae boring under the bark of ash trees.

✓ Winding, S-shaped tunnels created by larvae under the bark.

✓ Bullet-shaped, iridescent green adult beetles present from June to August.



Dying ash tree with sprouts at base



## Report Emerald Ash Borer

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